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SEC SUBPOENAS TO MID-MANAGEMENT AND NON-MANAGEMENT EMPLOYEES RELEASED BY CITY ATTORNEY

Under the California Public Records Act, several news organizations requested the release of all seven subpoenas that were issued to city employees on December 16, 2004 by the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC). Today, City Attorney Michael Aguirre released the last four names of city employees who were issued subpoenas by the SEC. The subpoenas request that these city employees testify before the SEC in February 2005: Deputy City Attorney Kelly Salt, City Auditor Accounting Division Manager Rudy Graciano, City Auditor accountant Cecilia San Pedro and former City Auditor Accounting Division Manager Phil Phillips.

On December 23, 2004, City Attorney Michael Aguirre released the following names of high-ranking officials who were also issued subpoenas by the SEC: City Manager Lamont Ewell, Financial Management Director Lisa Irvine and Assistant City Attorney Les Girard.

The packet of information can be picked up at the City Attorney's Office from noon- 5 p.m. today, 1200 Third Avenue, Suite 1620, downtown San Diego.

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